

Docket No. 251067US0CONT  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Atsushi SUZUKI, et al.  
SERIAL NO: 10/810,611  
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FOR: PREVENTIVE OR REMEDY FOR HYPERTENSION



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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

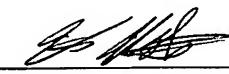
No additional fee is required  
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
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| CLAIMS   | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID | NO.<br>EXTRA<br>CLAIMS | RATE      | CALCULATIONS |
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| TOTAL  | 13                  | MINUS | 20                                      | 0                      | x \$50 =  | \$0.00       |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS                   |                     |       |   |                        | + \$360 = | \$0.00       |
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2004, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this response.

**Support for the Amendments** begin on page 5 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this response.